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| 3      | AR   | Maximan Brochure (5 pages), Published before November 1, 2000  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|        | AS   | Maximan Web Pages (2 pages), Admitted prior art, published before November 1, 2000   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|        | АТ   | Attachments for Loader (Bobcat), Published 1996  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|        | AU   | Mertz, Inc. Boxer Advertisement, published at least as early as November 1, 2000, 3 pages. (Admitted prior art)  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|        | AV   | Toro Dingo Tract Utility Loaders, TX400 Series Advertisement, published at least as early as November 1, 2000, 3 pages. (Admitted prior art)   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|        | AX   | Publications by Ramrod Equipment, Taskmaster Loaders, showing models 550, 750, 900, 910 and 944 with attachment pages, a total of 11 pages. Published at least as early as November 1, 2000. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|        | AY   | Gravely Skid Steer Loader information, published at least as early as November 1, 2000, 7 pages.   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|        | AK   | Dexhoff Equipment Brochure, "entitled the new TIPSKIP 650", (2 pages), Published before November 1, 2000   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|        | AL   | Mertz, Inc. Brochure, entitled "TrackMaster HP 800" (2 pages), Published before<br>November 1, 2000  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\Box$ | AM   | Thomas Equipment Ltd. Brochure, "25G" (Model 25G Specifications) (2 pages) Published before November 1, 2000   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|        | AN   | Mertz, Inc. Brochure, entitled "BOXER, America's first mini-skid steer with hydraulically adjustable track system." (2 pages), Published before November 1, 2000.                            |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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